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Honorable Robert M. Gates Acting Director of Central Intelligence Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Mr. Gates:

The Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1985 contained a provision authorizing the appointment of special CIA policemen to protect Agency personnel and property. In its report accompanying the House version of the Fiscal Year 1985 bill, the Committee stated, with respect to the special police authority, that it "expects the CIA to grant preferences in hiring for the planned CIA physical security personnel positions to qualified individuals who currently serve in FPO assignments at the CIA."

Please provide the Committee with a statistical analysis that shows:

- how many FPO policemen were assigned for duty at CIA on May 10, 1984, the date the House report was filed, including how many of such number were minorities;
- how many FPO policemen applied for special CIA police positions including how many of this number were minorities; and
- how many FPO policemen have been hired by the Agency as of the date of this letter, including how many of that number are minorities.

In addition, please provide the Committee with a description of how the Agency went about giving preference to those FPO policemen formerly assigned at CIA who applied for employment as special CIA policemen, as well as any efforts the Agency may have made to inform these FPO policemen of job opportunities and possible hiring preference at CIA.

Please provide this information to the Committee by May 18, 1987.

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